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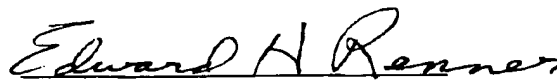
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In response to the Office Action of October 18, 2002, please enter the following amendments and remarks. The following amendments and remarks are submitted under Rule 1.116 (a) and (b), as being in response to new arguments and new grounds of rejection, noted in the Official Action, paragraph 8, to which applicant has not previously had the opportunity to respond.

## IN THE CLAIMS:

Please substitute the following claim 1 for pending claim 1:

Claim 1 (as twice amended). A tool for inspecting and gauging the accuracy of an installed steel door frame structure, the tool having a means for removable attachment to a frame, the attachment means including a magnet, the tool also having means for gauging the true condition of the frame in relation to three